ARRECTER CERTER CENTRE CONTRACTOR

Practical Christmas Gifts

Why pay your money out for something that is not practical

Buy something that your Mother, Sister or Sweet.

For The Mother,

what would be better than a Nice New Dress, Table Cloth Napkins or Towels.

For The Sweetheart.

than a pair of Gloves, Handker-chief, or novelty Dress or Silk Waist Pattern,

For The Sister.

a pair of nice Saxony or Kid Mitts, a Cape, Jacket 💜

We might go on enumerating articles by the score, but the foregoing will give you a good idea what to buy for useful Christmas presents.

Yours for Close Prices

MONROE CITY,, MO.

\$285 vs \$47.50 and don't you forget it.

This is the shortest day in 1899.

Next Monday will be Christ

Dr. L. T. Bell made a business trip to Laclede, Saturday.

25, 50, 75 cents or \$1.00 will buy lots of gifty-gifts at Rogers.

S. A. Wood made a business trip to the Gem City Tuesday.

The biggest stock of Collarettes in town at Rogers.

Miss Kate McCardell is here from Columbia visiting friends.

Ennis Noland will move to Monroe City this week.

J. B. Thomas made a business trip to Macomb, Ill., yesterday.

England has the navy but the Boers have the land.

One of our 50c Caps make a nice gift for your father, brother or son. ROGERS.

Dr W. T. Rutledge spent Sunday in Clarence with rela-

See the Handkerchief and Linen Display Rogers Friday.

The finest candies on the market at

RANEY & SAUNDERS. Special Handkerchief and Linen sale Friday at Rogers.

Henry Gillispie, of Palmyra, spent Sunday in the city with

Silk Lined Kid gand Mocha Gloves Ladies or Gents at

ROGERS.

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The Bunceton Tribune got out a very neat and pretty sou venir edition this week.

Why not buy your mother, sister or aunt a Dress Pattern at Rogers.

You can probably find just this city this week. what you are looking for at

It will be a blue Christmas than any House in the Country. for John Bull. The war funds have already absorbed \$3,000, 000 of the Charity Funds.

Rogers' big stock of up-todate Mufflers, Ties and Suspenders are attracting the attention of gift buyers.

They carry all kinds of

FRESH MEATS.

\$285 vs \$17.50 and don't you.

Look at Rogers' \$1.00 Black etticoats.

Ira Melson returned from Cleora, Ala., Monday,

Mrs. J. H. Riffe was a Quincy visitor Monday.

See those elegant toilet set. RANEY & SAUNDERS.

Sterling Silver nevelties at Rogers just the thing for a little Rememberance.

Miss Carolyn McClintic spent Friday with Palmyra friends.

Dent forget the big Linen Sale Friday at

The new solid colored imported mercerised petticoats at Rogers' are beauties.

Geo. B. Anderson, of Goss, spent Monday in the city attending to business.

Remember every thing new and up-to date at

RANEY & SAUNDERS.

If you want your hogs butchered, bring them to us.

SHARP & DONLEY.

Willie Finks is a gennine ladies man. If you don't think so ask him to show you a photo. so ask him to show you a photo.

FOR SALE.

An 80 acre farm for sale. Enuire at this office.

Table Damask Napkins Towels Handkerchiefs Crashes. Special offering Friday at Rogers.

Roy McFarland made a busi ness trip to the Bluff City Mon-

\$2.50 buys a beautiful petticoat at

ROGERS'

Fancy colection of Neck wear in all Style and Collars at ROGERS.

The scholars of the first Bap tist church are practicing for the Christmas festivities.

See that Beautiful Line of Ladies and Gents Slippers at ROGERS

David Hardesty, of Hannibal, is the guest of the homefolk in

You can buy Underwear cheaper and better at Rogers'

Mrs. Nora Hardesty is one of the affable clerks at the Racket Store

Mrs. O. Harry Parks spent Monday with friends in the Gem City.

Keep your neck warm with one of those Oxford Mufflers at ROGERS.

W. J. Rouse and wife spent the first of the week at Winfield with his sister, Mrs. T. P. Middleton.

It is dangerous to give children cheap candy. Raney & Saunders have best money will

Jackets, Capes, Collaretes, Round Collarettes, Muffs and Childrens Jackets at. ROGERS.

We have tried to buy some thing: please you come and isn't the article. RANEY & SAUNDERS.

A pretty little girl arrived at the home of William Baldwin. Monday. The news came through Dr. Lincoln.

There seems to be considerable British lion going on in the dispatches describing Boer defeats in South Africa.-Kansas City Times.

BOULWARE'S SHOE STORE

Ladies Fine Shoes and Slippers. Childrens and Misses Shoes. Men's Fine Shoes, Boy's Shoes,



Rubber and Leather Boots,

Overshoes, Overgaiters, Rubbers, Leggins, House Slippers,

Warm Lined Shoes and Felt Boots.



We carry the LARGEST STOCK

and name the

LOWEST PRICES

We want your trade

and will show you appreciation by selling you the best foctwear for the least money.

BOULWARE & SON.

Arch Rightmire, of Warren, was trading in the city Tues-

James S. Scott and Geo. W. Tooley returned from Texas vesterday morning.

W. T. Youell has sold a fancy black horse to Gent Fuqua for a round price.

Collarettes Fur Boas Muffs etc. A new lot just for your inspection at

ROGERS

Call and see us.

Double breasted Heavy fleeced Undershirts at 40 cts. 2 pr. 75 cts. at Rogers'

Major R. B. Bristow left last night for Ft. Benton, Montana, where he was called on legal business.

Greatest line of Overcoats

ROGERS.

NEW STORE OPENED.

CASH, CASH, CASH SAVES MONEY.

The finest line of candies in the city. They are cheap and Christmas is nearly here.

Good Mixed Candy Broken Taffy Ribbon Mixed

5c. per pound, 10c. -2 pounds 25c.

25c, per pound. Best Stock of Creams MIXED NUTS,

ALMONDS, ENGLISH WALNUTS, FILBERTS, **BRAZIL NUTS**

At Bottom Prices

Fruits and a full line of Fancy and Staple Groceries.

Santa: Claus Is Coming.

ARE HERE WITH A FINE LINE OF

Fancy Groceries,

Mince Meat,

Confections,

mas to you.

And everything that goes

Which are most

Tender and Juicy, to make good cheer.

Be sure and visit their house and save tramping all over the city, for there you will find what you want. In advance we say a Merry Christ-